MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TRANSPORTATION/CENTRALIZED SERVICES DIVISION AGENDA NO. 03-04-22

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For Work Week Commencing: April 21, 2003 Business Meeting: April 22, 2003, 9:30 a.m.

General Introduction This agenda is the Commission's Transportation and Centralized Services Division agenda for the work week designated. In the later part of each week (generally, Thursday by 2:00 p.m.) prior to the work week to which an agenda pertains, the agenda is posted on the public information bulletin board at the Commission offices, deposited in the mail directed to all persons who have properly requested notice by mail, emailed to all persons who have properly requested notice by email, and posted to the Public Service Commission's worldwide web site located at http://www.psc.state.mt.us.

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<u>Work Sessions</u> All items identified below are for Commission discussion or action on the day designated.

- 1, PSC Meeting Public Comment Period (4/22)
- 2. PSC Proceedings (4/22)
- 3. Continue Discussion of Utility Division Administrator Applicants (4/22 Closed at request of Applicants)
- 4. Legislation/Budget (Daily as Needed)

<u>Action Items</u> All items identified below are for action at the Commission business meeting.

1. T-03.6.ST (Wayne)

On January 27, 2003 Louis (Pat) Bibeau dba PS Limo Service, Havre, Montana filed an application for transfer of PSC No. 9433 to Rod Rick dba PS Limo Service, Havre, Montana. The transfer was noticed to the public on February 7, 2003 and there were no protests.

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<u>Class B</u> – Passengers in limousine service between all points and places in Blaine, Chouteau, Hill, Liberty, Phillips and Toole Counties. LIMITATION: Transportation of railroad crews is prohibited.

ACTION:

2. T-03.10.RI (Wayne)

On March 11, 2003 Butte Silver Bow Chamber of Commerce, Butte, Montana, PSC No. 3601, applied for a rate increase to its passenger fares. The increase raises adult fares from \$5 to \$6 and child fares from \$2.50 to \$3.50. The rate increase was noticed to the public on March 26, 2003 and is scheduled to become effective on April 24, 2003, there were no protests filed.

SUB A <u>Class B</u> - Passengers between all points and places within a 10 mile radius of the federal building located in Butte, Montana. Limitations: Carrier is limited to transportation between April 1 and November 1 of each year.

ACTION:

3. TN2181 (Wayne)

Kenneth A. VanderVen dba Lewistown Transfer & Storage Company, Lewistown, Montana requests permission to continue the lease of PSC No. 1122 to Jason J. Larson dba Lewistown Transfer, Lewistown, Montana for a one year period April 23, 2003 to April 23, 2004.

<u>Class B</u> - Household goods (as defined by Commission) between all points in the State of Montana over any public highways.

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SUB A Class C - Property in the City of Lewistown, Montana, and to or from points immediately tributary thereto, but within a distance not exceeding ten (10) miles in any direction from said city. Limitations: The transportation of property between points served by rail carriers, or between points served by a motor carrier operating between fixed termini or over a regular route is prohibited. Transportation of ashes, trash, waste, refuse, rubbish and garbage is prohibited.

SUB B Class C - Property within the City of Lewistown, Montana, and to or from points tributary thereto, but within a distance not exceeding fifty (50) miles in any direction from said city. Limitations: Transportation of property between points served by rail carriers is prohibited. Transportation of ashes, trash, waste, refuse, rubbish and garbage is prohibited.

ACTION:

4. Approval of Commission Minutes

(Wayne)

Approval of the Commission Minutes for the week of April 14, 2003.

ACTION: